

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Mrs. C. M. Skeels went to Bandon yesterday.

A. E. Hadall was up from the Burg Saturday.

C. H. Lewis was up from the lower river Friday.

Frank Flam, of near Parkersburg, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Mandigo, the North Bend merchant, was over Friday.

D. K. Perkins, of Parkersburg, had business in this city Friday.

G. C. Welch, the Lampa creek farmer, was up to town Saturday.

Fred Mehl, of Bandon, visited in town a day or so the last of the week.

Ten Robison and H. C. Dorris were down from Fishtrap last Saturday.

Frank Van Lewven, of Parkersburg, was among the visitors to Coquille yesterday.

Henry Holm, the Marshfield meat market man, was in our city on business yesterday.

Dr. J. C. Snook, the dentist, will be home from his visit to California some time this month.

Hi King, of Marshfield, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. King, of this city, several days last week.

Lunch Fruits at Drane's.

George Wilson, one of Coos bay's enterprising cranberry raisers, made the county seat a short visit yesterday.

Everything for luncheon at Drane's.

Eddie Clinton was down from the camp Friday and informed us that the big donkey had been put in place and that it would begin hauling logs today.

Cleas Perfumes at the Russell Pharmacy.

Frank Lowe, the Coos bay ship builder, passed through town yesterday enroute to Bandon to see his father who has been quite ill for several days.

For Ashland House Lining go to Strang's.

There will be an adjourned meeting on Friday, January 20th, of the friends of local option, to act upon the recommendations of the committee on constitution and by-laws.

Mackintoshes, Storm Coats, etc., at Strang.

E. E. Johnson had the misfortune to get a severe fall the latter part of the week at his home at the Johnson mill, with the result that his face struck a root making quite a cut.

Lunch chicken, lunch yeast and loaf canned goods at Drane's.

Chas. Felter, of Bandon, who has been holding different positions in the Blanco Hotel, Marshfield, for some time, came over Saturday and visited friends at Bandon, returning yesterday.

A specially fine lot of hankkerchiefs at Mrs. Payne's.

R. B. Henry was over from Marshfield the last of the week. Mr. Henry informs us that his landlord, John Snyder, of the Central Hotel, expected to sail for Portland by the first Kibburn. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Snyder.

For good meals, splendid rooms and bath, go to Mrs. Suzz's boarding house.

Dr. G. A. Churchman, who has conducted a drug store in this city for several years and recently bought out by Dr. Russell, moved away with his family on Saturday, going by way of the bay. He expects to locate in Arizona for the present.

FOR SALE—A fine property consisting of splendid garden lots, good house and barn. For particulars call at this office.

The news of the death of Mrs. B. J. Harrison, which occurred near Myrtle Point that morning reached us Saturday. Mrs. Harrison was a pioneer of this county and is well known to many of the people of this valley. Her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Collier, of this city, was called to her bedside last week.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, team of horses, set of light harness, also good thoroughbred hack. Enquire of C. H. James.

For the finest hams in town, call on Dean & Morgan.

The cabins of the steamer Welcome have undergone a general overhauling late.

The schooner Hugh Hogan sailed Sunday, and the Lizzie Prien arrived the same day.

M. W. McCormick, the Riverton engineer, visited Coos bay last week, returning yesterday.

E. W. Sturtevant, the Riverton dairyman, made our office a pleasant business call yesterday.

D. J. Lowe, of Bandon, suffered a severe attack of heart trouble last week but is improving at last accounts.

J. A. Luse, editor of the Marshfield Sun, was over to the county seat Friday. He made our office a pleasant call.

Don't forget that Strang keeps Shoes of all kinds.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hawkins, of near Dairyville are in town visiting with Mr. H's sister, Mrs. T. J. Thrift and family.

Rolled Barley, Bran, Shorts and Potatoes, at Strang's.

A. B. Daly, of Marshfield, the engine and heavy machinery man, is over this way looking after business. Our office was favored by a call.

For a supply of Jersey Cranberries, call on Drane, the grocer.

Roy Stevens, the stove repairer has been disappointed in receiving a lot of tools and material, and has deferred his trip to the bay till they arrive.

Great bargains in Ladies' Hats and Shirt Waists at Mrs. Payne's.

The revival meetings at the M. E. church, South, is increasing in interest. There will be services every evening this week at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

A good Winchester Rifle for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.

Regular preaching services by the pastor at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Miss Bemis, Supt.; Young People's Meeting, 6:45; Mrs. A. N. Gould, Supt. All are welcome.

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The supreme court of Oregon has recently admitted to the practice of law as an attorney E. B. Hall of the Minnesota bar. Mr. Hall has been engaged in the practice of law in Minnesota for about fifteen years, and expects to again take up the practice in Western Oregon.

Lard and Bacon at wholesale at the Coquille Valley Packing Co.

Ed Rackleff, the popular Dairyville merchant, arrived at Myrtle Point last Tuesday, having come up this way looking after business interests and visiting old friends. He was down this way later in the week. We acknowledge an exceedingly pleasant call on Friday evening.

If you want to look at a fine line of underclothing go to Strang's.

J. L. Bean, who has been suffering severely of late as a consequence of a fractured knee, went to Marshfield Saturday to enter the Horsfall hospital, where he underwent an operation, having a considerable sized piece of the fractured bone removed. He returned yesterday morning and is in great hopes of being entirely recovered in the near future at which his many friends would be greatly pleased.

Faciators, shawls, misses' caps, rubbers and umbrellas at J. S. Kanematz's.

Our townsmen, A. C. Snyder, the engineer, informs us that he is in receipt of a letter from his brother, Sam Snyder, who is also well known here having grown up principally in this valley, which was dated from Portland. Sam is now chief engineer on the big trans-Pacific liner, Olympia, which he stated would sail from Portland either yesterday or today. His many friends in this section will be pleased to know that he has climbed so high up the ladder in his calling.

I am closing out my line of Ladies' Gents' and Children's Mackintoshes' Call and get prices. Z. C. STRANG.

County court adjourned Saturday.

O. A. Kelley and Wm. Rohm were up from Riverton Friday.

Ren Hoberg, the Norway dairyman, was in town on business Friday.

J. C. Haynes, of Myrtle Point, visited at the bay the last of the week.

Will Dungan, the clothing man interviewed customers in town yesterday.

Miss Hattie Brownson, of Bridge is visiting Mrs. M. O. Hooton, of this city.

We are sorry to state Mrs. Charleson, of Bandon, is suffering from paralysis.

Little Mary Pike was exceedingly ill Sunday evening, suffering from pneumonia.

Messrs. Estberg and Whitney, of the Commander mine, in the Eck-Jay mining section, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. L. P. Maury, of this city, was called to Myrtle Point yesterday morning to see Mrs. D. H. Hare, who is ill.

Mrs. Sam Olsen, of near town, who has been ill at the Davis restaurant for a couple of weeks, was able to return home yesterday.

Grandpa Lindsey who is lying very low at the home at R. J. Dean in this city is gradually sinking and the end is expected at any time.

Mrs. C. A. Gage has re-opened the Little Hotel and is now in the field for business and cordially invites the public to give her house a trial.

Give J. G. Fish your orders for apple boxes.

Mrs. G. W. Martin, who recently returned from a sojourn of several weeks at Grants' Pass, came down from the Point Friday and returned yesterday.

Hats at your own price at Mrs. Payne's store.

Judge J. H. Cecil, of this city, reports two weddings for this issue at which he was the officiating officer. The first was that of Frank Wilson, the City Restaurant man, and Miss Bessie D. Paris, a late arrival from California, while the second is that of Charles N. Wigan, of Myrtle Point, and Miss Nora L. Moon, daughter of the pioneers, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Moon, of Fairview, who has been in this city for some months with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Moon, the milliner. Congratulations are in order.

North Bend, Oregon, Dec. 22, 1904.

Sperry Flour Com'p., Marshfield, Oregon.

Gentlemen: Receiving your poster I compete for the reward of \$5.00 to the boy or girl in North Bend who sends in the best reason why his or her mother likes Sperry flour.

My mother uses Sperry's flour and finds it makes very sweet bread and is superior to many higher priced flours.

Yours truly, ERNEST VIGAS. Age 13.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D.

Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

The steamer was in command of Capt. Bob Dunham, and John H. Snyder, engineer, both of whom are well-known and popular steamboat men in this county.

Steamer Notes.

Steamer Elizabeth arrived Jan. 10th and sailed Jan. 11. Incoming cargo: 30 tons, passenger, A. Abbott, Rev. H. P. Demming. Outgoing passengers, M. R. Lee, Oapt. Levi Snyder, F. C. Eighmy and wife. Cargo, 250 m lumber, 50 corde matchwood, 25 tons mdse.

Notice.

All persons are hereby notified that W. H. Smith no longer represents the Coquille Coal & Lumber Company, and are cautioned against making any payments to him for the company.

(Signed) E. I. BRADDOCK, President Coquille Coal & Lumber Company.

Coquille, Oregon, Dec. 24, 1904.

Sperry Flour Company.

Sirs:—My mother always buys Sperry's flour because it is the best in the market.

She has used it steady for five years.

She likes it because it makes finer grained and whiter bread. It raises more quickly and it makes about six more loaves to the sack than any other brand of flour.

My mother likes Sperry's best because she can depend on it. With other brands of flour you will once in a while get a poor sack, but with Sperry's you never get a poor sack and that is really the best reason mamma has for using Sperry's flour.

Yours truly, EARL SIMMONS.

**"The Deacon."**

The drama, "The Deacon," previously announced was given Saturday evening to a well filled house. The play was given by members of the three upper grades of our public school under the guidance and dictation of Mrs. Wooton, one of our popular teachers, and was a decided hit.

Each and every one of the large list of characters was well sustained and too much credit cannot be given our young people as well as their efficient instructor for their enterprising and successful presentation of the play.

This entertainment was given for the purpose of raising money to start a fund which is to pay for the piano lately ordered for the school, and the sum of \$75 or more was cleared up for that purpose.

There has been some talk of taking the company to Bandon and Myrtle Point in the near future, which we hope they may.

Elder W. L. Black, who is now residing in our city, will divide his time with the Adventist churches of Coquille City and Myrtle Point. The appointments for the present week here are as follows: Prayer meeting Tuesday evening, 8 p. m. Sabbath, 10 a. m., Sabbath school; preaching services 11 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Sunday at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m., there will also be preaching services.

**Cured His Mother of Rheumatism**

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at other times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she has formerly troubled with." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

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COQUILLE OREGON

**Mrs. Dulle Passes Away.**

Mrs. Henrietta Dulle, beloved wife of our townsmen and county treasurer, John B. Dulle, passed away at the family residence in the north part of town at 6 a. m., Saturday, the 14th, after an illness of two weeks.

The deceased, formerly Miss Henrietta Higley, was born in Portland, April 26, 1855, being 46 years, 8 months and 18 days of age. She was a native daughter of Oregon and a Coos county pioneer, having come to Sumner when a girl where she was married to Mr. Dulle on January 18, 1876.

They have made their home in this city for the past six years where she has made many friends, being an excellent neighbor.

She leaves a husband and ten children to mourn her untimely taking off, besides her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Higley, of Tacoma, Wash., are still living.

The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in this, the loss of a loving wife, and an attentive and indulgent mother.

**BUSINESS NOTICES.**

Largest stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods at Lorenz's.

Mens' boys' and children's clothing, cheapest in town, at Lorenz's.

W. P. Fuller's prepared Paints, Oils and Varnishes at J. A. Lamb & Co.'s.

W. A. Goodman will go anywhere in Coos county to move your house or barn.

To Trade—Fifteen head of cows and several head of young cattle for good sheep.

A fine line of the latest in dress goods is being received at Mrs. Payne's store on Front street.

For fine carpet and rug weaving apply to Mrs. K. Holverson, of the McAdams place.

Standard Patterns are now reduced to 10 and 15 cents each. For sale at Kanematz's store.

J. S. Jays has fine Out Hay for sale. Delivered in town, on the cars or on the boat at \$12 per ton.

\$800 will buy a 200-acre Stock Ranch in Southern Coos, with plenty of only ing Government land. J. J. STANLEY.

**Sewing Machine Repairing.**

David Fulton, of this city, is an expert cleaser and repairer, and anyone in need of his services will do well to call at his residence or drop him a card.

**Sanford's Bargains**

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**REAL ESTATE.**

\$11,500 This amount of fine property, including two fine residences and 10-acre orange grove in Pomona, Cal., to exchange for good stock ranch.

\$2800 A fine corner business property

\$1500 Nice small place of 8 acres near town, well improved, 4 acres full bearing orchard, balance pasture and meadow. Good evaporator. This is a good investment.

\$1000 Home and two lots in good location. A bargain.

\$800 Good house, barn and four lots in fine location.

\$800 Corner business property. Better investigate this now.

\$750 A hill ranch on Fishtrap of 150 acres, 4 acres cultivated, 40 acres in grass, 2 rough houses, barn, 100 young fruit trees, about 300,000 feet fine cedar timber. This is a genuine bargain.

\$500 A residence property that is dirt cheap.

\$300 Two lots nicely located.

\$260 Two fine lots near the school-house.

\$200 The best residence lot in Coquille. Installment plan.

\$100 Two corner bottom lots.

\$75 Six fine lots, best location, at the ridiculously low price of \$75 each column. If you are looking for a good piece of property at a reasonable price, I can certainly suit you.

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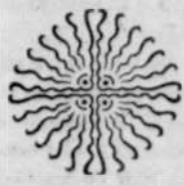
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